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Nevada's Dilemma

A serious problem that will confront the coming legislature will be the one wherein plans will have to be carried into execution to provide for the expenses of the state government for the next two years. During the last half dozen years the expenses of the state have exceeded the income, and this fact has been brought forcibly to the minds of the taxpayers during the present year when a special legislative session was called in order that a loan could be made. The state has nearly exhausted its borrowing power and with present conditions continuing indefinitely, a serious snag would soon be encountered.

The legislators and the people will have to do a lot of thinking before a solution is arrived at. The income of the state treasury has been reduced by the loss of the gambling licenses, while the expenses have continued and have been increased. The taxpayers do not look with favor upon the proposition to raise the taxes, while it is a physical impossibility to retrench at the state capital and save a sum that will prove sufficient to keep the state from going in debt.

The problem will have to be solved by the next legislature and considerable discussion is now to be heard throughout this state. Nye county, with five votes in the lower house and two in the senate, should play an important part in arriving at a conclusion whereby the taxpayers will be benefited. The question is one that should be settled without a thought of politics. It affects the taxpayers, and in this wise partisanship feeling should be relegated to the background.

United States Senator Newlands is advocating several plans, all of which appear excellent. One of them was advocated in the Bonanza recently, and that is to reduce the membership in the legislature by one-half. Have two assemblymen apportioned to each county, and in the senate let there be but one representative from each county. This will make a total representation of 48 in both houses. The present session will consist of something like 75 members. Not only will there be a saving in salary, but in mileage and other expenses.

Newlands advocates a regular salary for the legislators and the doing away with the per diem system. This plan is an excellent one and should be adopted.

The creation of a tax commission to take the place of the present state board of assessors is among the plans suggested by Newlands. The same plan was brought before the last legislature by Governor Oddie but failed to pass owing to certain state appointive officials antagonizing members in both houses. Said state officials were slated for position on the tax commission and in order to prevent their taking such appointments, which in all probability would not have been for the best interests of the taxpayers, the bill was defeated. It was likewise defeated in the special session.

The antagonism to the measure was not from defects in the bill, but purely from a personal standpoint. The bill will eliminate that practice that is now being followed by certain assessors keeping the tax rate down that but a small contribution is made to the state treasury. Several counties are paying huge amounts to the state and of this number Nye is included. Therefore the taxpayers of Nye county would be interested in the adoption of such a plan.

The proposed state commission would equalize in the tax levy, making the rate uniform throughout the state. Under the present system corporations are assessed for an extremely low figure, while the poor man, owning but the house in which he lives, pays in proportion, one hundred times what his wealthy neighbor pays. This condition is observed in Nye county as well as in every county in the state.

A committee is now at work at Reno endeavoring to solve plans that will keep the state from going bankrupt entirely. This committee is composed of Senator Massey and Governor Oddie, republicans, and Senator Newlands and Lieutenant Governor Ross, democrats. Meetings have been held and the solution will be presented to the incoming legislature as coming from a non-partisan committee. What is recommended will in all probability be enacted into law.

The Budget System

Early in December congress and the nation will have the opportunity to consider a national budget for the first time in our history.

The need for a national budget was explained in a message from President Taft to congress June 27, 1912, which message, with the report of the commission on economy and efficiency, fills a book of 568

pages.

It is safe to assume that the general public has not widely read the splendid argument and convincing array of facts prepared by the commission, yet it should understand clearly what is sought.

Summed up, the idea involved in a national budget is simplicity itself. It means that the president and his cabinet shall answer to themselves and to the country three simple questions regarding the nation's business:

1. How much money will be needed for the conduct of the government during the year beginning July 1 next.
2. What money is on hand; and from what source is more expected?
3. What shall be the amount appropriated to each function performed by the government?

Stated in the above manner, every business man, no matter how small his affairs; every farmer who plans ahead, every man in any way charged with the care of funds for others, will at once perceive that a national budget must be desired by all citizens who with business-like methods applied to the one big business of the nation—the government. Furthermore, they will perceive that if a little business needs system, then a big business, involving \$1,000,000,000 expenditures a year, needs it still more.

Don't Pull Out

The Gray Hairs; Restore Color

A FEW APPLICATIONS OF A SIMPLE REMEDY WILL BRING BACK NATURAL COLOR

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place," is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that nature needs assistance. It is nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

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Sam Fox has begun his work on his idol's eye claim, as the sound of three shots fired this afternoon demonstrated, says the Tribune. He is doing his assessment work in the vacant lot next to the old athletic club building and a high board fence keeps out inquisitive people. When the shots were exploded this afternoon it took only a moment for the crowd to gather and for all the dogs in the neighborhood to start barking, but the work went on just the same.

ART SALE FOR BENEFIT OF TONOPAH PUBLIC LIBRARY

The art sale which will be opened in the library room at 7:30 p. m. on Saturday evening will also be open to the public on Sunday from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. Don't fail to visit this exhibition and secure choice Christmas presents at reasonable prices. Many beautiful articles in hand decorated china, fine needlework, embossed leather, art rugs hand made, holiday books for children, choice pictures and a collection of hyacinth bulbs imported from Holland. While serving your own interests you will be helping the public library.

GOLDFIELD MAN KILLED AT WATER COMPANY PLANT

John Kajander, an employee of the Goldfield Water company, was killed yesterday afternoon when an iron pipe he was handling came in contact with an electric wire. Sixty-six hundred volts passed through Kajander's body and he died within ten minutes.

RECOVERS FROM INJURY RECEIVED FEW WEEKS AGO

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